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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**Applicants:**

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

(IN RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON March 3, 2008)

This paper is responsive to the Office Action of March 3, 2008. The Office action set a shortened statutory response period of three (3) months from that mailing date. An extension of time to respond to the Office Action is respectfully requested. In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the non-final Office action mailed March 3, 2008, said period of response being extended from June 3, 2008 to September

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3, 2008. A petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this amendment.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of all grounds of rejections, in view of the amendment and the remarks herein, is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-14 were examined on the merit in the non-final Office action mailed March 3, 2008. Claims 1 and 14 have been amended. With this Amendment, Claims 1-14 are pending. Support for the amendment can be found in the present application. Accordingly, no question of new matter should arise, and entry of this amendment is respectfully requested.

In the non-final Office action mailed March 3, 2008, the Examiner has rejected Claims 1-5 and 14 under 35 USC 102(e) as being anticipated by Nakano et al (US6,746,125). The Examiner has objected to claims 6-13.

The applicants submit the following amendments. Applicants have rewritten all claims to more particularly point out and distinctly define the invention in an effort to overcome the formal objections and rejections and to more clearly define the invention patentably over the prior art.

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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